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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Application of:	:	
AXEL SCHULTE	:	Art Unit: 1771
Serial No.: 09/601,280	:	Examiner: C. A. JUSKA
Filed: July 31, 2000	:	Appeal No. _____
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RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the March 1, 2004 Notification of Non-Compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.192(c) in connection with the above-identified application, one copy of the previously filed Brief on Appeal is submitted herewith.

Since the substitute specification has now been entered, as advised by Examiner Juska in a March 25, 2004 telephone interview, the objection to the brief has been withdrawn and the

submitted brief is now in compliance with the rules of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. The Examiner also advised that this resubmission of one copy of the brief will fully and adequately respond to the March 1, 2004 Notification.

Respectfully Submitted,



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